# IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFF

IN RE APPLICATION OF:

**ULF SCHRODER** 

SERIAL NO.: 09/147,367

FILED: December 9, 1998

FOR: Immunstimulating Lipid Formulation

GROUP ART UNIT: 1615

EXAMINER: G. Kishore

ATTY. REFERENCE: REF/Schroder/367

### THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS Washington, D.C. 20231

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a communication/amendment in the above-identified application.

- In the definition of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement of the statement previously submitted.
- A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.
- No additional fee is required.

The fee, if any, has been calculated as shown below:

Fee Basis	Number of Claims After Amendment	Pre	viously Paid	Extra	ı Claims	Small Entity	Fu	ill Fee
Total Claims	23	-	20	=	3	× \$ 9 =	× \$ 18 =	\$54.00
Independent Claims	3		3 2	=	0 3	× \$ 39 =	× \$ 78 =	
☐ First Presentation of Proper Multiple Dependent Claim					+ \$130 =	+ \$260 =		
TOTAL							\$54.00	

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- X A check in the amount of \$54.00 is attached.
- The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees associated with this communication, including X fees due under 37 CFR 1.16 and 37 CFR 1.17 or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account Number 02-0200. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.
- Also enclosed is/are:

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DATE:

June 2, 2000

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#### **AMENDMENT**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This is in response to the Official Action of March 2, 2000, in connection with the above-identified application.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows.

### IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 1-15 without prejudice or disclaimer and add the following new claims to the application.

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- -16. An adjuvant composition for parenteral or mucosal administration of antigens or vaccines to an animal, comprising one or more substances selected from each of the groups

a) monoglyceride preparations having at least 80 % monoglyceride content and

having a formula

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